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Heating bitumen-containing material - by granulating and mixing with hot heat-exchange material especially mixed

sand and gravel

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**BASIC-ABSTRACT**:

A bitumen-containing material is crushed and mixed with a hot granular heat exchange material such that it is heated to required temperature. Preferably the heat exchange material is a mixture of sand and gravel and at 170 - 375 deg. C and the bituminous material is heated to at least 170 deg. C; further bitumen may then be added to the mixture. Apparatus includes a rotary drier through which the heat-exchange material passes for heating. Mixing may be carried out in a pug mill preheated so that materials remain heated during mixing.

USE - Production of <u>paving</u> material using material recovered from existing sites such as roads, airfields, sports grounds, playgrounds, footpaths, and cycle tracks.

ADVANTAGE - Effective recycling of large amounts of material recovered during, e.g. the complete re-building of a road.

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